

#### Beta Beams, EUROnu WP4



# Beta Beams

# Implementation at CERN



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#### Outline

- BETA BEAMS
  - Overview
  - Beta Beam Components
  - Intensities
  - Impact of large  $\theta_{13}$
- Summary

#### Beta Beams - Basic Idea

- **Basic idea (***Phys. Let. B, 532 (2002) 166-172, P. Zucchelli***):** 
  - Accelerate radioactive ions to high γ
  - Let them β-decay in a Decay Ring (DR)
  - The DR has one straight section pointing in the direction of a detector
  - v-beam with opening angle  $1/\gamma$  and with known energy and v-species
  - Two different ion types;  $\beta^+$  decaying (gives  $v_e$ ) and  $\beta^-$  decaying (gives  $\overline{v}_e$ )

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- Detector:
  - No need for magnetic detector since only have to distinguish μ<sup>+</sup> and e<sup>+</sup>
     (μ<sup>-</sup> and e<sup>-</sup>)





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# Beta Beams at CERN

#### Beta Beams at CERN



- Groups with synergetic projects joining continuously
   E.g. ANL (USA), STFC (UK), GSI & Aachen (DE), Weizmann (IL)
- Specially interesting with T2K's large  $\theta_{13}$  !! (below)

#### Choice of Ions

**Considerations**  $Z \rightarrow 0 1$ 2 Pair of  $\beta^+$  and  $\beta^-$  active ions n H He 3 <sup>1</sup>H <sup>2</sup>He Li Be 5 6 for v and anti-v ... <sup>4</sup>Li <sup>5</sup>Be <sup>1</sup>n <sup>2</sup>H <sup>3</sup>He В 7 С **Production rates** <sup>2</sup>n <sup>3</sup>H <sup>4</sup>He <sup>5</sup>Li <sup>6</sup>Be <sup>7</sup>B <sup>8</sup>C Ν isol method or production ring <sup>7</sup>Be <sup>8</sup>B <sup>9</sup>C <sup>10</sup>N 0 <sup>4</sup>H <sup>5</sup>He 6Li 3 Life time <sup>8</sup>Be <sup>9</sup>B <sup>10</sup>C <sup>11</sup>N <sup>12</sup>O F <sup>4</sup>n <sup>5</sup>H<sup>16</sup>He 7Li 10 optimized for baseline ~1s <sup>9</sup>Be <sup>10</sup>B <sup>11</sup>C <sup>12</sup>N <sup>13</sup>O <sup>14</sup>F Ne He <sup>18</sup>Li 11 6H 5 Reactivity <sup>10</sup>Be <sup>11</sup>B <sup>1</sup> C <sup>13</sup>N <sup>14</sup>O <sup>15</sup>F <sup>16</sup>Ne Na <sup>7</sup>H<sup>3</sup>He <sup>9</sup>Li 12 noble gases are good 7 <sup>9</sup>He <sup>10</sup>Li<sup>11</sup>Le <sup>12</sup>B <sup>13</sup>C <sup>14</sup>N <sup>15</sup>O<sup>16</sup>F<sup>17</sup>Ne<sup>18</sup>Na Mg Low Z preferred 8 <sup>10</sup>He<sup>11</sup>Li <sup>12</sup>Be<sup>13</sup>B <sup>14</sup>C <sup>5</sup>N <sup>16</sup>O <sup>17</sup>F <sup>18</sup>Ne<sup>19</sup>Na<sup>20</sup>Mg minimize accelerated mass per charge 9 12Li 13Be 14B 15C 16V 17C 16F 19Ne 20Na 21Mg reduce space charge problems 10 14Be 15B 1C 17N 18O 19F 20Ne 21Na 22Mg **Q** value 11 16517C 8N 19O 20F 21Ne 22Na 23Mg defines v-energy & baseline 12 18C 19N 200 21F 22Ne 23Na 24Mg

"Q value" is the kinetic energy 'release of a particle at rest'

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E.g. for the neutron decay  $Q = m_n - m_p - m_{\bar{\nu}} - m_e$ 

lsotope	<sup>18</sup> Ne	۴He	<sup>8</sup> B	<sup>8</sup> Li
A/Z	I.8	3	I.6	2.7
Emitter	β+ (ν)	β⁻ (anti-ν)	β+ (v)	β⁻ (anti-∨)
τ <sub>1/2</sub> [s]	1.67	0.81	0.77	0.83
Q [MeV]	3.3	3.5	13.9	13.0

"Low Q"

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#### Two Baselines

- Currently two different baselines (both with  $\gamma$ =100) are under investigation
- <sup>6</sup>He & <sup>18</sup>Ne: L ≈ 130 km

<sup>8</sup>Li & <sup>8</sup>B: L ≈ 650 km



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#### Ion Production



### Low Q Ion Production (6He)



#### Low Q Ion Production (18Ne) More details by T. Stora in next talk

T. Stora Molten Salt Loop: **Upgraded Linac4** - 160 MeV protons by upgraded Linac4 ISOL Molten target Salt Loop hit NaF salt loop  $\rightarrow$  2 reactions; ECR  ${}^{19}F(p,2n){}^{18}Ne$ 

$$+ \frac{2^3 Na(p,X)^{18} Ne}{}$$

- Then <sup>18</sup>Ne diffused to the ECR

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Studies claim

RFO

Linac

RCS

1MW target station would give

SPS

Decay

Ring

$$\approx 1.2 \cdot 10^{13} \ ^{18} Ne/s$$

 $\rightarrow$  ~ enough v  $\odot$ 

PS

- $\rightarrow$  only 2 times more power than **CNGS** operating target station
- **Experiment scheduled in November** at CERN

## High Q Ion Production (<sup>8</sup>Li & <sup>8</sup>B)



#### <sup>8</sup>B Experiment at LNL

• <sup>8</sup>B; The reaction (6.1 MeV) <sup>V.L. Kravchuk</sup>  ${}^{3}_{2}He + {}^{6}_{3}Li \rightarrow {}^{8}_{5}B + n$ 

#### was studied at LNL June 2011





#### CN proposal: BETABEAM <sup>8</sup>B PRODUCTION MEASUREMENT FOR THE FP7 BETA BEAM DESIGN STUDY

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- RipeN setup: 8 BC501 detectors covering  $15^{\circ} \rightarrow 140^{\circ}$
- 30% more statistics than planned was obtained!
- Resulting cross section and angular distribution from analysis ~ end 2011

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#### ECR Source



#### ECR (Electron Cyclotron Resonance) Ion Source

- Radioactive atoms diffuse in to ECR ion source  $\omega_{hf} = \omega_{ce} = eB/m_e$
- Confined plasma  $\rightarrow$  ionization
- ECR 60GHz (highest existing: 28GHz)
   → 50µs pulses with ions to Linac
- R&D ongoing:

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- Magnetic tests in CNRS, LPSC, Grenoble, T. Lamy
- Theory and Short pulsed tests in Nizhny Novgorod, Russia, V. Zorin



• Estimated efficiencies:

<sup>6</sup>He: 30% & <sup>18</sup>Ne: 20% <sup>8</sup>Li & <sup>8</sup>B: 3 to 10 times less





#### Accelerators

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- All ions  $\gamma = 100$ 

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Can only store small part of the DR due to suppression of atmospheric background:
 SF ~ 1%



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#### <sup>6</sup>He Intensities

- Production
  - ➡ 5el3 <sup>6</sup>He/s
- ECR Source (97.5 ms)





SPS

Decay

PS

- ➡ I.48eI3 <sup>6</sup>He/s (70% loss due to 30% eff. + Decay)
- RCS (Bunching 5 ms and Acceleration 47.5 ms)
  - → 4.66el 2 <sup>6</sup>He/s (69% loss due to 50% eff. + Decay)
- PS (Accumulation 1.9 s and Acceleration 0.8 s)
  - ➡ 2.82el2 <sup>6</sup>He/s (39% loss due to Decay)
- SPS (Acceleration 2.5 s)  $\nu = 100$ 
  - ➡ I.4IeI2 <sup>6</sup>He/s (50% loss due to Decay)

#### <sup>6</sup>He Intensities

Transfer line

- Production
  - ➡ 5el3 <sup>6</sup>He/s
- ECR Source (I pulse)
  - I.44eI2 <sup>6</sup>He/ECR Pulse
- RCS (I bunch)
  - ➡ 7.00ell <sup>6</sup>He/bunch
- PS (20 bunches)
  - ➡ 4.02eII <sup>6</sup>He/bunch
- SPS (bunches 20)
  - ➡ 3.79eII <sup>6</sup>He/bunch







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#### Previous DR Limitations

- Can the DR use these ions, 3.79ell <sup>6</sup>He/bunch, efficiently so we can reach enough neutrino flux?
  - Before: NO! lons not only loosed by decay in the DR
  - → Limited duty factor (background SF < 1%) →
    - Ions lost at collimation at the injection and



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#### T2K $\theta_{13}$ Indications

• T2K indicates with 2.5 $\sigma$  that  $sin^2 2\theta_{13} > 0.03$  $(\Delta m_{23}^2 > 0)$ 

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→ SF not as crucial for Beta Beams; SF = 2% allowed! Even 2.3% ... ? (before SF = 0.58%)

Comparison with sbeam is incomplete due to unknown systematic errors (here put to 5% for signal and 10% for bkg for both βbeams and sbeams)



# Large $\theta_{13}$ Impacts

- If SF = 2.3% → 4 times more of DR can be used
- 3 ways to use this

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- → 80 2m bunches in DR → SF = 2.3%
  - 4 PS batches into SPS, same DR merging
    - More decay before DR injection,
    - Same collimation
    - Less bunch intensity  $\rightarrow$  less Coll. Eff.
- → 20 8m bunches in DR → SF = 2.3%
  - Same bunch scheme, but "merge" less
    - Same decay, less collimation
- I60m long Barrier Bucket → SF = 2.3%
  - Keep all 8el3 ions in one big bunch

The efficiency has been studied (next 2 slides)

Might be better efficiency (to be studied)

#### <sup>6</sup>He Intensities for SF 2.3%

- Production
  - ➡ 5el3 <sup>6</sup>He/s
- ECR Source (pulse)



I.44eI2 <sup>6</sup>He/ECR Accumulation

Transfer line

• RCS (I bunch)

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- ➡ 7.00ell <sup>6</sup>He/bunch
- PS (20 bunches)
  - ➡ 4.02eII <sup>6</sup>He/bunch
- SPS (80 bunches)
  - ➡ 2.48eII <sup>6</sup>He/bunch



#### Solved DR Limitations

- 2.48ell <sup>6</sup>He/bunch enters DR in 80 bunches!
- 4 times less bunch intensity required
  - Enough intensity can be merged

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- Collective effect no longer problem (if  $R_{\perp}^{DR} = I M/\Omega m$ )
  - Resistive Wall and Longitudinal to be studied



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#### Summary

- The detailed study program for Beta Beam implementation at CERN was presented
- Encouraging ion production progress towards required source rate
  - <sup>18</sup>Ne production experiment scheduled at CERN
- Well established beam preparation and acceleration
  - State of the art studies for a 60GHz ECR ongoing

- Large  $\theta_{13}$  shows prosperous possibilities for  $\beta B$ 
  - Enough intensity can be merged and stored in the DR
    - More studies needed!

# Backup Slides

### Other BB Ideas



#### Intensities; Aimed

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	18Ne Tone	6He Tone	8B Tone	SLi Tone			
Rourse rate liess(s)	2 22 - 1013	7 31 - 1013	4 20 - 1014	1 02 - 1015			
Source rate [10ns/s]	3.32×10-	7.31×10-	4.39×10-	1.03×10-			
ECR Accumulation Time [ms]	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5			~ -
ECR Dead Time [ms]	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5			0/
ECR Efficiency	0.21	0.31	0.067	0.101	N	JI -U.JO	/0
RCS Acceleration Time [ms]	47.5	47.5	47.5	47.5			
RCS Efficiency	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5			
PS Injection Energy [GeV/Nucleon]	1.65	0.787	1.93	0.942			
PS Accumulation Time [s]	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9			
PS Acceleration Time [s]	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8			
PS Cycle Time [s]	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6			
# Bunches/PSBatch	20.	20.	20.	20.			
SPS injection Energy [Gev/Nucleon]	13.5	1.78	15.3	8.86			
SPS Acceleration Time [s]	1.42	2.54	1.23	2.23			
SPS Cycle Time [s]	3.6	6.	3.6	4.8			
# Bunches/DRBatch # Bunches/SPSBatch	20.	20.	20.	20.			
DR Mergings Ratio	20.	20.	20.	20.			
Nominal Annual v Rate	14.	10.	10.	10.			
	1.1×1018	2.9×1018	5.5×1018	$1.45 \times 10^{19}$			
		18Ne Ions	61	He Ions	8B Ions	8Li Ions	
SPS Rep. Time [s] 3.6		6		3.6	4.8		
Average # Ions/Bunch I	Average # Ions/Bunch DR Inj. 2.7×10		$\times 10^{11}$ 5.57 $\times 10^{11}$ $4.47 \times 10^{12}$		$9.17 \times 10^{11}$	$2.76 \times 10^{12}$	
Accumulated # Ions/Bunch DR 3.44		$3.44 \times 10^{12}$			$7.96 \times 10^{12}$	$2.32 \times 10^{13}$	
			# 18Ne	Ions	# 6He Ions	# 8B Ions	# 8Li Ions
Source	ce rate	[#/s]	3.32×	1013	7.31×1013	$4.39 \times 10^{14}$	$1.03 \times 10^{15}$
ECR	[#/pulse	1	6.67 x	1011	$2.12 \times 10^{12}$	$2.74 \times 10^{12}$	$9.74 \times 10^{12}$
RCS :	inj [#/p	ulse]	3.33×	1011	$1.06 \times 10^{12}$	$1.37 \times 10^{12}$	$4.85 \times 10^{12}$
RCS [#/pulse]		3.29 x	1011	$1.03 \times 10^{12}$	$1.33 \times 10^{12}$	$4.73 \times 10^{12}$	
PS in	nj [#/PS	batch]	5.73×	1012	$1.37 \times 10^{13}$	2.05 × 1013	$6.58 \times 10^{13}$
PS [1	#/PSbatc	h]	5.48×	1012	1.18×1013	1.88 × 1013	5.78 × 1013
SPS :	inj [#/S	PSbatch]	5.48×	1012	$1.18 \times 10^{13}$	1.88 × 1013	$5.78 \times 10^{13}$
SPS [#/SPSbatch]		5.41×	1012	1.11 × 1013	1.83 × 1013	$5.52 \times 10^{13}$	
Decay	Decay Ring [#/DRbatch]		6.88×	1013	8.94 × 1013	$1.59 \times 10^{14}$	$4.65 \times 10^{14}$
v Rat	te [v/ye	ar]	1.11×	1018	$2.91 \times 10^{18}$	5.5 × 1018	$1.47 \times 10^{19}$
V-Rat	te Ratio	100 million (100 m	1.01		1.	1.	1.01

#### Intensities; Achieved

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10 March 10	18Ne Ion	s 6He Ions	8B Ions	8Li Ions	_			
Source rate [ions/s]	1.21×10	<sup>13</sup> 4.98 × 10 <sup>13</sup>	$1.21 \times 10^{13}$	3.×1013				
ECR Ejection Energy [keV/Nucleon]	27.8	16.7	31.3	18.8				
ECR Accumulation Time [ms]	97.5	97.5	97.5	97.5		C - C	<b>\ E O 0/</b>	
ECR Dead Time [ms]	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5		36-6	J.JÖ/o	1
RCS Acceleration Time [ms]	47.5	47.5	47.5	47.5				
RCS Efficiency	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5				
PS Injection Energy [GeV/Nucleon]	1.65	0.787	1.93	0.942				
PS Accumulation Time [s]	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9				
PS Acceleration Time [s]	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8				
PS Cycle Time [s]	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6				
# Bunches/PSBatch	20.	20.	20.	20.				
SPS Injection Energy [GeV/Nucleon	] 13.5	7.78	15.3	8.86				
SPS Accumulation Time [s]	1.42	2.54	1.23	2.23				
SPS Cycle Time [s]	3.6	6.	3.6	4.8				
# Bunches/SPSBatch	20.	20.	20.	20.				
# Bunches/DRBatch	20.	20.	20.	20.				
DR Mergings Ratio	14.	10.	10.	10.				
Nominal Annual v Rate	$1.1 \times 10^{18}$	2.9 × 1018	$5.5 \times 10^{18}$	$1.45 \times 10^{19}$				
		18Ne Ions	6He I	ons	8B Ions	8Li Ions		
SPS Rep. Time [s]		3.6	6.		3.6	4.8		
Average # Ions/Bunch D	R Inj.	$9.85 \times 10^{10}$	3.79>	× 10 <sup>11</sup>	$2.53 \times 10^{10}$	$8.04 \times 10^{10}$		
Accumulated # Ions/Bun	ch DR	$1.25 \times 10^{12}$	3.04>	× 10 <sup>12</sup>	2.2×1011	6.76×1011		
			# 18N	e Ions	# 6He Io	ns # 8B	Ions	# 8Li Ions
So	urce ra	te [#/s]	1.21×	1013	$4.98 \times 10^{1}$	3 1.21	× 10 <sup>13</sup>	3. x 1013
EC	R [#/pu	lse]	2.43×	1011	$1.44 \times 10^{1}$	2 7.57	× 1010	$2.84 \times 10^{11}$
RC	S inj [	#/pulse]	1.21×	1011	$7.19 \times 10^{1}$	1 3.77 x	× 10 <sup>10</sup>	$1.41 \times 10^{11}$
RC	RCS [#/pulse]			1011	6.99 × 101	<sup>1</sup> 3.68	× 1010	$1.38 \times 10^{11}$
PS inj [#/PSbatch]		2.09×	1012	$9.32 \times 10^{1}$	2 5.65	× 10 <sup>11</sup>	$1.92 \times 10^{12}$	
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		1.97 ×	1012	$7.59 \times 10^{1}$	2 5.06	× 10 <sup>11</sup>	$1.61 \times 10^{12}$	
De	Decay Ring [#/DRbatch]		] 2.51×	1013	6.09 × 101	3 4.39	× 10 <sup>12</sup>	$1.35 \times 10^{13}$
v Rate [v/year]		4.03×	1017	$1.98 \times 10^{1}$	8 1.52	× 1017	$4.28 \times 10^{17}$	
V-Rate Ratio		0.366		0.683	0.027	16	0.0295	

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RCS Efficiency PS Injection Energy (GeV/Nucleon)	1.65	0.787 1		0.942					
PS Accumulation Time [s]	1.9	1.9 1	.9	1.9					
PS Acceleration Time [s]	0.8	0.8 0	.8	0.8					
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SPS Acceleration Time [s]	1.42	2.54 1	.23	2.23					
SPS Cycle Time [s]	14.4	16.8 1	4.4	15.6					
# Bunches/SPSBatch	80.	80. 8	0.	80.					
# Bunches/DRBatch	80.	80. 8	0.	10					
Nominal Annual y Pate	1 1 - 1018	2.0 - 1018 5	E - 101	1 45 - 1019					
Adminal Annual V Rate	1.1.1.10	18Ne Ions	.3×10	6He Ions	8B Ions	8Li	Ions		
SPS Rep. Time [s]		14.4		16.8	14.4	15.6	5		
				2 47 × 1011	1 96 × 1010	E E2 × 1010			
Average # Ions/Bunch	DK INJ.	0.57 × 10		2.4/ × 10	1.90×10	5.52	J. JZ X 10		
Accumulated # Ions/Bunch DR		8.38×1011		$1.41 \times 10^{12}$	1.17 × 1011	$3.3 \times 10^{11}$			
			1.44	1011					
				18Ne Ions	# 6He Ions		# 8B Ions	# 8L1 Ions	
S	Source rate [#/s]		1	.21 × 1013	4.98×101	3	$1.21 \times 10^{13}$	3. × 1013	
ECR [#/pulse] RCS inj [#/pulse] RCS [#/pulse] PS inj [#/PSbatch] PS [#/PSbatch] SPS inj [#/SPSbatch]			2	$1.43 \times 10^{11}$	$1.44 \times 10^{12}$ $7.19 \times 10^{11}$ $6.99 \times 10^{11}$ $9.32 \times 10^{12}$ $8.03 \times 10^{12}$ $2.09 \times 10^{13}$ $1.98 \times 10^{13}$		$7.57 \times 10^{10}$	$2.84 \times 10^{11}$	
			1	.21 × 1011			3.77 × 1010	$1.41 \times 10^{11}$	
			1	.2 × 1011			3.68 × 1010	$1.38 \times 10^{11}$	
			2	.09 × 1012			5.65 × 1011	$1.92 \times 10^{12}$	
			2	. × 1012			5.18 × 1011	$1.68 \times 10^{12}$	
			6	.95 x 1012			$1.6 \times 10^{12}$	$4.62 \times 10^{12}$	
SPS [#/SPSbatch] Decay Ring [#/DRbatch] v Rate [v/year]		6	.86 x 1012	$1.56 \times 10^{12}$			$4.41 \times 10^{12}$		
		hi	7 x 1013	1 13 - 1014		9.35 × 1012	2.64 × 1013		
		/wearl		05 × 1018	3 5 - 1018		3 08 - 1017	8 . 1017	
		tate [v/year]		057	3.5 X 10-0		0.05¢	0.0551	
Y	Rate Ratio		U	.957	1.21		0.050	0.0551	

# Large $\theta_{13}$ Impacts

- If SF = 2% almost 4 times (!) longer DR bunches
  - Less ion loss at collimation at DR injection
  - Less restrictions due to Collective Effects
- Might now achieve nominal fluxes! Studies needed:
  - Re-optimize bunch structure in the whole Beta Beam accelerator chain
    - Previous structure aimed at as short bunches in DR as possible
  - Re-simulate DR injection

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- capturing, merging and relaxed collimation
- Re-simulate Collective Effects
  - 4 times longer bunches might allow 4 times more ions



#### Aimed Sensitivities (low Q)

Beta Beam's sensitivities depends on

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- Neutrino Fluxes ( = ion intensity in DR )
- Suppression Factor ( = duty factor in DR )
- Assuming I.lel8 v/year from <sup>18</sup>Ne and
   2.9el8 anti-v/year from <sup>6</sup>He, we get



Beta-Beam Revisited. Nucl. Phys

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- I.e. with this flux we'll fill ~1% of the DR
- 20 bunches  $\rightarrow$  Bunch Length  $\approx$  2m

### Aimed Sensitivities (high Q)

- Longer baseline, different cross-section, and more gives that required V-intensities are 5 times more
- Assuming 5.5el8 v/year from <sup>8</sup>B and
   I.5el9 anti-v/year from <sup>8</sup>Li, we get



• I.e. also for high-Q bunch length  $\approx 2m$  (SF ~1%)

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#### How to Reach Aimed Sensitivities

- Aimed Fluxes:
  - I.Iel8 v/year from <sup>18</sup>Ne and 2.9el8 anti-v/year from <sup>6</sup>He
  - 5.5el8 v/year from <sup>8</sup>B and I.5el9 anti-v/year from <sup>8</sup>Li
    - Need:
       High Ion Production Rate
       Fast Acceleration
       High Transmission Efficiency
- Aimed Duty Factor
  - Fill only 1% of the DR, i.e. bunch length ~2m
    - Merging

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#### RFQ and Linac

- From ECR: stripped ions with 8 keV/u
  - dc pulses  $\rightarrow$  bunched with Linac's RF
- RFQ: Radio Frequency Quadropole
  - Pre-acceleration

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- Conventional Linear Accelerator
  - normal RF cavities
  - bunching the dc pulses
  - accelerating gradient 3 6 MV/m
  - accelerate to 100 MeV/u; at ejection
    - $\rightarrow$  Bp = p/eZ = 2.66 Tm (<sup>18</sup>Ne) & 4.44 Tm (<sup>6</sup>He)
    - $\rightarrow$  E<sub>tot</sub> = 18.6 GeV (<sup>18</sup>Ne) & 6.21 GeV (<sup>6</sup>He)





#### RCS - Rapid Cycling Synchrotron

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- **Multiturn Injection** 
  - Pulses = 50  $\mu$ s
  - 26 turns for RCS rev. time = 1.96 µs injection
  - Aim: maximize # ions in required emittance
  - Method: rotation in x-x' space before next injection
  - **RF: optimized to fit 26 injections**
  - **Result: injection efficiency 80%**









#### PS - Proton Synchrotron



- to 86.7 Tm (PS max)

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#### SPS (+) - Super Proton Synchrotron

- SPS <u>Injection</u> - Fast injection of 20 bunches
  - < 10% of SPS filled</p>

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- PS needs long bunches due to space charge (which is worse for low energy)
- An 1 MV 40 MHz (h=924) RF system (added) will retrieve these bunches
- Bunch shortening needed for DR injection
- Then RF swap to existing 8 MV 200
   MHz (h=4620) RF system





SPS <u>Acceleration</u> - to γ = 100 → Bρ = 559.3 Tm (<sup>18</sup>Ne) 934.8 Tm (<sup>6</sup>He) (not SPS max)

DR - Decay Ring



# $R_{I}$ of the DR

Detailed calculations of Transversal Shunt Impedance,  $R_{\perp}$ , require design assumptions of ALL DR components, instead:

Private Discussions

with G. Rumolo

- Ц Let's estimate  $R_{\perp}^{DR}$  based on a machine with same C circumference as DR; SPS ( $R_{\perp}^{SPS} = 20 M\Omega/m$ )
  - Modern, smooth design of the vacuum pipe compare to old SPS  $\rightarrow$  Improvement by factor 10

 $\rightarrow R_{\perp}^{DR} \sim 2 M\Omega/m$ 

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- The DR is a less general machine than the SPS (not required to handle many type of beams)
- No need for as many kickers as SPS (and modern) kicker design) → Improvement by factor 2

 $\rightarrow R_{\perp}^{DR} \sim I M\Omega/m$ 

Further; in 20 years improved Broad Band Feedback System

#### 3 Tools

- Three ways to find the Bunch Intensity Limit, **N**<sup>th</sup>:
  - A multi-particle tracking program in time domain, "HEADTAIL"

G. Rumolo et ali, CERN-SL-Note2002-036-AP

A theoretical program in frequency domain, "MOSES"



Peak current values into a coasting beam formula gives the "Coasting Beam Equation" (here for ξ=0):

$$N_{b_{x,y}}^{th} = \frac{32}{3\sqrt{2}\pi} \frac{R|\eta|\varepsilon_l^{2\sigma}\omega_r}{\langle\beta\rangle_{x,y} Z^2\beta^2 cR_\perp}$$

E. Métral, CERN, Overview of Single-Beam Coherent Instabilities in Circular Accelerators

 $\mathbf{R}_{\perp}$  = "Shunt Impedance" (see next slide)